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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

# **BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>Atsushi ISHIKAWA</u> for <u>IMAGE</u> PROCESSOR CAPABLE OF REDUCING GRADATION AT HIGH SPEED.

Als	o enclosed are:				
[X]	_4 sheet(s) of [X] formal [ ] informal drawing(s);				
[X]	a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is [ ] hereby made to filed in _ on _;				
	[X] in the declaration;				
[]	a certified copy of the priority document;				
[]	a General Authorization for Petitions for Extensions of Time and Payment of Fees;				
[X]	an Assignment document;				
[]	an Information Disclosure Statement; and				
[]	Other:				
[X]	An [X] executed [ ] unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s)				
	[X] also is enclosed [ ] will follow.				
[]	Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentenceThis application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to _ filed in _ on _ entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference				
[ ]	A bibliographic data entry sheet is enclosed.				
[ ]	Small entity status is hereby claimed.				
[X]	The filing fee has been calculated as follows [ ] and in accordance with the enclosed				
prelimin	ary amendment:				



	No. Of CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00 (101)
Total Claims	18	MINUS 20 =	0	× \$18.00 (103) =	0
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$80.00 (102) =	0
If multiple dependent cla	ims are prese	nted, add \$270.00	(104)		
Total Application Fee					
If small entity status is c	laimed, subtra	act 50% of Total A	pplication Fe	е	
Add Assignment Recording Fee \$ if Assignment document is enclosed					40.00
TOTAL APPLICATION	N FEE DUE	10 A. C.		100	750.00

[]	This application is being filed without a filing fee.	Issuance of a Notice to File Missing
	Parts of Application is respectfully requested.	

- [X] A check in the amount of \$ 750.00 is enclosed for the fee due.
- [ ] Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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